

## Therapy TAC Agenda

January 12, 2021

8:30 meeting on zoom

Review and approval of November Minutes minutes

Old business:

1. Issues with payment related to ADH centers (Mariposa, etc) -- proposal letter sent from Jim Hisle regarding HH during pandemic -- thoughts from the cabinet on this group as they received almost no service since shut down. Still have not received a response.
2. all three groups have had discussions with CHFS regarding FS issues -- paying for required CE, not being able to do FTF services as all other therapy providers are able to do. Still awaiting a response. Many of these children are recipients of medicaid -- follow up meeting postponed until 11/6 -- still waiting to hear on resuming in home services for those who would like face to face.
3. Code requests to be added to PT and OT fee schedule -- please see attached sheet -any update on 2021 fee schedule?
4. Issues with United Health care: Main concerns: 1. How often drs have to sign script and POC- We are having issues with Drs offices being swamped and not wanting to sign POCs in a timely manner. 2. I am really concerned if they state a child will not get OT, PT, ST services if they get services in a school setting. We all know that school and medical therapy setting is different. IN meetings with United, they stated they were going to follow KY medicaid policy, but the KY website for United had different requirements in December.

New Business:

5. Cotivity -- TPA for Wellcare and ? : initially removing 59 modifier and refusing to pay for billed codes. WELLcare now allowing the bundle but requiring medical records each time it is billed. (see attached list). Administrative burden here is huge and is impacting ability to appropriately care for the children of KY.

Recommendations to MAC